SENATE RESOLUTION 136 By Miller

A RESOLUTION to commend Jan-Vincent Waller for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Jan-Vincent Waller is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Senator Jeff Miller; Jan-Vincent's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Memphis, where he is highly regarded by his peers, Jan-Vincent has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science and International Studies and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, a diligent and committed professional, Mr. Waller has worked assiduously as an Assistant Manager of Sports Merchandise at Wimbleton, an Assistant Director of Junior Development at Wellworx Facility, an Intern at Lindenwood Christian Church, an Enrichment Coordinator at Lindenwood Christian Church, and a Management and Legal Policy Intern at AutoZone, Incorporated; and

WHEREAS, donating his time and many talents to numerous worthy organizations and activities, Jan-Vincent Waller has served as an Assistant Coach at St. Benedict High School, an USTA Official, an ITA Official, a STA Official, a TSSAA Official, a Volunteer with the Ronald McDonald House, and a Volunteer with the Kroger/St. Jude Cellular South Cup; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further his studies, Jan-Vincent brought his many abilities

and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2006 session of the One Hundred Fourth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, evincing an unflagging commitment to excellence in every endeavor, Jan-Vincent Waller has worked diligently during this legislative session to promote the estimable principles of democracy, fairness, and equity in the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, an intern of uncommon devotion and singular talent, Mr. Waller has distinguished himself as an exceptional individual with the utmost integrity and character; and

WHEREAS, Jan-Vincent Waller epitomizes the spirit of volunteerism and commitment to excellence that are characteristic of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2006 legislative session, Jan-Vincent Waller has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Waller has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Mr. Jan-Vincent Waller for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jeff Miller and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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